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## PEORIA COUNTY EMERGENCY TELEPHONE SYSTEM BOARD VERIFIED PETITION TO INTERVENE

The Peoria County Emergency Telephone System Board ("ETSB") hereby petitions the Illinois Commerce Commission ("Commission") for permission to intervene in the above captioned proceeding. In support of its Petition, the ETSB states as follows:

- 1. That the Peoria County ETSB is a creation of state law; to wit, 50 ILCS 750/15.4.
- 2. The ETSB is charged with the duty of collecting telephone surcharge funds under the authority of 50 ILCS 750/15.3.
- 3. The ETSB is a 9-1-1 customer and covered by the terms of the proposed tariff modification.
- 4. The ETSB will be materially affected by the outcome of this docket.
- 5. The ETSB agrees to accept service by electronic means.

WHEREFORE, the Peoria County ETSB respectfully petitions the Commission for leave to intervene and be treated as a party in the above captioned proceeding.

RESPECTFULLY SUBMITTED, PEORIA COUNTY EMERGENCY TELEPHONE SYSTEM BOARD

Dated this 14 TH day of

November , 2002.

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## **VERIFICATION BY CERTIFICATION**

I, <u>Oavio & Tappe</u>, under penalties as provided by law pursuant to Section 1-109 of the Code of Civil Procedure, hereby certifies that the statements set forth in this instrument are true and correct, except as to matters therein stated to be on information and belief and as to such matters the undersigned certifies as aforesaid that he verily believes the same to be true.

SUBSCRIBED and SWORN TO before me

this 14 day of November, 2002.

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